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Applicant: Liddle and Goodwin)		
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Title: XENOBIOTIC RELATED O P () INDUCTION OF GENE EXPRESSION		
Examiner: Diana B. Johannen)	SEP 1 6 2004	
PETITION FOR TENE	SION OF TIME TORRESTEE TO THE	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the office action of March 12, 2004 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

()One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$
() Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$
(X)	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ <u>950.00</u>
()Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$
()Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$

- (X) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$475.00.
- (X) Check No. 089308 in the amount of \$475.00 is enclosed.
- () The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

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(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application number under 37 C.F.R. 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0920. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 23-0920.

I am the

- () applicant/inventor
- (X) attorney or agent of record.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this Reply, and the Petition and fee (Check No. 089308) are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class mail, postage prepaid in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Amendments, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on September 10, 2004.